

ANNAI VIOLET ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGE
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH
CONTINUOUS INTERNAL ASSESSMENT – I (ODD SEM.)
SUBJECT: INTRODUCTION TO JOURNALISM

Class: III B.A English

Max.Marks: 50

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PART A (10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

Choose the correct answers:

1. _____ is the timely reporting of events at local, national and international level.
(a) News (b) Journalism (c) Communication
2. The central purpose of Journalism is to provide_____ and reliable information.
(a) accurate (b) proper (c) functional
3. Journalism has a _____ power over society.
(a) Veto (b) Superior (c) Watchdog
4. The history of Journalism is closely associated with the growth of – _____.
(a) printing press (b) paper industry (c) newsprint production
5. Amrita Bazar Patrika, one of the oldest newspapers in India was published from _____
(a) Madras (b) Bombay (c) Calcutta
6. What was the title of India's first newspaper?
(a) Punjab Mirror (b) The Bengal Gazette (c) Azad Hind
7. The word 'Journalism' is derived from the French/Latin _____
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(a) Journelese (b) Journal (c) Diurnalis
8. J.A. Hickey started the first newspaper 'Bengal Gazette' at _____
(a) Chennai (b) Bombay (c) Calcutta
9. Which of the following regulation envision that press without licence was a penal offence?
(a). Press Act of 1835 or Metcalfe Act (b) Lord Wellesley enacted Censorship of Press Act, 1799 (c) Licensing Regulations, 1823
10. Which of the following act/regulation empowered the magistrates to confiscate press property which published objectionable material

likely to cause incitement to murder/acts of violence against the Extremist nationalist activity?

(a) Indian Press Act, 1910 (b) Newspaper (Incitement to Offences) Act, 1908 (c) Vernacular Press Act, 1878

PART B – (2 × 5 = 10 Marks)

Answer any TWO questions

11. What is the need for journalistic principles?
12. Define Freedom of the Press.
13. Write a note on Contempt of Court.

PART C – (3 × 10 = 30 Marks)

Answer ALL questions

14. Discuss in detail any three Press Laws in India
15. Write an essay on Defamation, Libel and Slander.
16. What was the aim of the Press Registration of books Act?